

Town of Garfield
TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
June 12th, 2019 - 7:00 PM
Town Hall
405 W California

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Pfaff called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Pfaff, Mark Young, Neal Leon, David Ulrick, Cande Hasenoehrl, Officer Cox. Staff: Nancy Whitesell – Clerk/Treasurer, Public Works – Shon Clark

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS:

Edward Zubiate updated the Council on his progress in moving out of the trailer court. He also stated that he would do what he could to move out and leave on good standings with the Town.

Lisa Hasenoehrl from Keltic updated the Council on the progress being made on the railroad project. Advertising will begin the first week of July. WSDOT have made the qualifications very specific, to get an experienced contractor that has worked with this type of project. The work should only take 30 days, but they give the contractors 60 days to complete. It will most likely not be completed prior to school starting.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES: May 22nd, 2019 Regular Council Meeting. Cande Hasenoehrl **MOVED** to approve the minutes. David Ulrick seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

POLICE REPORT: Officer Cox to report: Stated that there have been several traffic stops, one with speeds over 60 mph. Officer Cox also reported that he was the main patrol in Garfield, and there are some issues he plans on addressing with individuals, such as driving through town with very loud music in the middle of the night.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT: Shon Clark to report: Shon and Mark installed new water and sewer service to a lot that has new construction going up. The water tank is scheduled to be cleaned on July 24th. There was a major sewer main back up due to tree roots on Adams St. Flags will be hung Thursday for Flag day. The streets were graded last Friday, and now they are looking into oiling them as well. Shon put a new muffler on the garbage truck.

OLD BUSINESS: Cande Hasenoehrl asked if there has been any advancement on getting the restaurant listed/advertised. Mayor Pfaff stated that he had been working on things but needs council to form a committee of two members to come up with ideas of what rent should be and any other specifics so that they all could discuss the plan.

NEW BUSINESS: Cande Hasenoehrl brought to Public Works attention that there were several potholes that needed repaired in town. Shon Clark stated that he has not had the opportunity to do a 'pot patrol' at this point, but if she could give him a list of the ones, she is aware of, he would make sure that they're repaired.

FINANCIAL: Cande also questioned the use of additional help for Public Works, asking why they felt they needed additional help. Mayor Pfaff explained that \$3500 was budgeted for the department to use as they felt necessary. Nancy Whitesell stated that only \$656 had been used YTD. Cande also asked about the hiring of Rick Wride and wanted to know what he does for the Town. Mayor Pfaff explained his contract from last year was held over to this year, and his job duties were discussed. David Ulrick suggested that the Town renew that contract with Rick on an annual basis, rather than letting it stay as is year after year. Mayor Pfaff agreed.

Cande Hasenoehrl **MOVED** to approve the checks. Neal Leon seconded, and the motion passed.

ADJOURN: Cande Hasenoehrl **MOVED** to adjourn the meeting. Dave Ulrick seconded, and the motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:34 pm


Jarrod Pfaff – Mayor

ATTEST:


Nancy Whitesell – Clerk/Treasurer